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# ADULT EDUCATION/ JUDY CENTER PARTNERSHIPS

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## ***What is an Adult Education/Judy Center partnership?***

The Maryland Literacy Works Adult Education Program, funded by the Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, provides services to parents through the 24 Judy Centers around the state. Adult Education instruction is offered onsite at many of the centers, and in others the partnership refers parents to a nearby Maryland Literacy Works location.

## ***How does Adult Education support the mission of the Judy Centers?***

Judy Centers provide comprehensive, integrated, full-day full-year services that promote school readiness for children from birth through the age of five. The families access services that support child development as an essential part of the mission. Adult Education provides instruction for parents to learn the skills necessary to function as a full partner in their children's education, while increasing their own academic skills.

## ***Where are the partnership programs located?***

- Allegany County: Beall and John Humbird Elementary Schools
- Baltimore City: Moravia Park, John Eager Howard and Furman Templeton Elementary Schools
- Baltimore County: Campfield Early Learning Center
- Calvert County: Patuxent Elementary
- Caroline County: Federalsburg Judy Center and Federalsburg Elementary School
- Carroll County: Robert Moton and Taneytown Elementary Schools
- Cecil County: Family Education Center and Holly Hall and Gilpin Manor Elementary Schools
- Charles County: Dr Samuel Mudd, Eva Turner and C. Paul Barnhart Elementary Schools
- Dorchester County: Sandy Hill Elementary School
- Frederick County: Waverly, Lincoln and Hillcrest Elementary Schools
- Garrett County: Overlook Judy Center and Dennett Road and Yough Glades Elementary Schools
- Howard County: Cradlerock School
- Kent County: H.H. Garnett Elementary School
- Montgomery County: Rolling Terrace, Summit Hall, Rosemont and Washington Grove Elementary Schools
- Prince George's County: Judy Hoyer Family Learning Center and Coolspring and Adelphi Elementary Schools
- Queen Anne's County: Judy Center Partnership and Grasonville Elementary Schools
- St. Mary's County: Green Holly and George Washington Carver Elementary Schools
- Talbot County: Easton Elementary School
- Washington County: Bester and Winter Street Elementary Schools
- Wicomico County: Wicomico Early Learning Center and Pemberton and Beaver Run Elementary Schools
- Worcester County: Snow Hill Elementary

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***What Adult Education services are available through the Adult Education/Judy Center partnerships?***

The Adult Education programs address a wide variety of needs which may include English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), basic academic skills review, General Educational Development (GED) test preparation, the Maryland Adult External High School Diploma (EDP), and career exploration assistance or referral. Adults are assisted with transitions to employment and/or higher education and training. Through parent training the adults access information regarding child development, health and socialization with emphasis on the parent as the child's first teacher.

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***How can I get more information about Adult Education/Judy Center partnerships?***

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